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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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In re Application of: )  
TAKEYUKI NAGASHIMA )  
Application No.: 09/033,585 )  
Filed: March 3, 1998 )  
For: PRINTING SYSTEM, AND )  
PRINTING CONTROL METHOD )  
AND APPARATUS )  
Examiner: K.Y. Poon Technology Center 2600  
Group Art Unit: 2624  
January 12, 2001

Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)

Sir:

Applicant petitions the Commissioner of Patents to extend the time for filing a Brief for one month, from December 13, 2000 to January 16, 2001 (January 13, 2001 being a Saturday and January 15, 2001 being a holiday in the District of Columbia).

Submitted herewith is a check for \$110.00 to cover the fee for the extension, due under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17.

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January 12, 2001

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Any deficiency in or overpayment of this fee should be charged or credited to Deposit Account No. 06-1205. A duplicate copy of this petition is enclosed.

Applicant's undersigned attorney may be reached in our New York office by telephone at (212) 218-2100. All correspondence should continue to be directed to our below listed address.

Respectfully submitted,

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